



June 17 – 19, 2005

NORTHWESTERN DIVISION CONVENTION

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"The Northwest's Largest Ham Convention"

**Seaside Convention Center
415 1st Avenue, Seaside, Oregon**



SEMINARS

Seminars and forums on technical and regulatory matters are offered at SEA-PAC. Be informed in an up-close and personal atmosphere with knowledgeable people in our hobby.

Topics at www.seapac.org. Seminar, Forum and Workshop schedules available at the Convention Center beginning on Friday, June 17, 2005.

THE WORLD OF ANTENNAS WORKSHOP

Friday, 12:30 - 5:00 pm

Limit: 100 Participants

An opportunity to acquire top-notch education in a four part presentation of theory and construction of antennas. The basic section will prepare you to tackle the in-depth discussions on dipoles, verticals and array antennas. Even experienced antenna experimenters should find information to fill knowledge gaps. Plan to attend this Friday afternoon event and walk away with some valuable ideas.

Rudy Severns N6LF is an engineering consultant in design of power electronics, magnetic components and power conversion equipment. He was first licensed in 1953 as WN7WAG. He now holds an extra class license and a B.S. in Engineering from UCLA. He has authored two books and many technical papers. He is a fellow of the IEEE. His current insanity is operating on 160 m at the height of the sunspot cycle.

SEA-PAC BANQUET

A time to reacquaint yourself with hams from around the division, the nation, and the world. **Dave Bell** W6AQ, speaker, produced the films: The Hams Wide World, The World Of Amateur Radio, This Is Ham Radio and Moving Up. He is former chairman of the ARRL's PR Committee and tells our story well. **The Banquet is limited to 300 reservations.**

Young Ladies Radio League

AND

**Quarter Century Wireless Association
LUNCHEONS**

SATURDAY — 11:30 am

**Best Western - Oceanview Resort
414 North Prom, Seaside**

SEA-PAC AWARDS

Sunday, 1:00 - 2:00 pm

Need Not Be Present

ICOM IC-718 HF Transceiver

Kenwood TM-V708 144/440 Mobile

Yaesu FT 60R 144/440 Handheld

ICOM IC-W32A 2M/440MHz Handheld

Must Be In Convention Center

None by Proxy

ICOM IC-706 MK II-G Compact HF/VHF/UHF

ICOM IC-2720H 2M/70cm Mobile

Yaesu FT-7800R 144/430 Mobile

Kenwood TH-D7A(G) 144/440 TNC Handheld

Registration postmarked by May 14, 2005

To be eligible - Need Not Be Present

Yaesu FT-857D Compact HF/VHF/UHF

Yaesu VX-2R 144/440 Handheld

All award models subject to change due to availability

HOURLY AWARDS

Unclaimed awards are re-issued!

None by Proxy

**Hourly awards posted for two hours
in the lobby and on stage**

SPECIAL AWARDS

Must Be In Convention Center

None by Proxy

Saturday, 2:30 pm

Sunday, 10:30 am

ARRL GUEST & FORUM

Northwestern Division Director, Greg Milnes W7OZ and Vice Director Jim Fenstermaker K9JF welcome ARRL guest Dan Miller K3UFG, Emergency Communications Course Manager to SEA-PAC.

Dan is EmComm Course Grant Manager of the American Radio Relay League, the national association for Amateur Radio. Miller says his most rewarding activity is teaching licensing classes for young people.

The ARRL Forum, Saturday at 12:30 pm, offers an opportunity to learn what the ARRL is doing on our behalf.

Convention Schedule

Friday, June 17

Registration..... 11:00 AM - 8:00 PM
 Exhibitor/Flea Market Set-Up 11:00 AM - 8:00 PM
 Antenna Workshop 12:30 PM - 5:00 PM
 Riverview Rooms A, B & C
 ARRL EmComm Seminar 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM
 Seaside Rooms A & B
 "Hangout For Bored Spouses"..... 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Saturday, June 18

Exhibitor/Flea Market Set-Up.....7:30 AM - 9:00 AM
 Registration..... 8:00 AM - 4:30 PM
 Exhibits & Flea Market 9:00 AM - 4:30 PM
 Snack Bar..... 9:00 AM - 4:30 PM
 "Hangout For Bored Spouses"..... 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM
 Our Saviour's Lutheran Church - West Parish Hall
 VE Exams (Pre-registered) 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM
 Our Savior's Lutheran Church - East Parish Hall
 Seminars 9:30 AM - 5:00 PM
 YLRL Luncheon & Program 11:30 AM - 1:30 PM
 Best Western, Oceanview Resort
 QCWA Luncheon & Program 11:30 AM - 1:30 PM
 Best Western, Oceanview Resort
Special AWARDS 2:30 PM
 Pre-Banquet Happy Hour 6:30 PM - 7:15 PM
 Banquet..... 7:15 PM - 9:30 PM
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Sunday, June 19

Registration..... 8:30 AM - 12:00 Noon
 Exhibits & Flea Market 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM
 Seminars 9:00 AM - 12:00 PM
Special AWARDS 10:30 AM
 Snack Bar..... 9:30 AM - 2:00 PM
AWARDS 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM

*A complete schedule will be available at the Convention Center
 beginning Friday June 17, 2005.*

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SEA-PAC Web Site: www.seapac.org

Lodging in Seaside: 888.306.2326

Seaside Web Site: www.seasideor.com

RAGS Country Store

RAGS, the Country Store where you may display your rig for sale. To reserve your spot, call or write:
 Gene Mielke KA7JNU, 3926 Fairview, Hood River OR
 97031 - 541.386.2041 - geneandkaren@gorge.net

SEA-PAC TRANSMITTER HUNT

Saturday afternoon there will be a transmitter hunt on foot through the streets of Seaside. Multiple 2m transmitters provide fun for every level of experience. Start any time between 2:00 and 4:00 pm to accommodate your schedule. Limited equipment will be available for loan. Please bring at least a 2m HT or scanner if you have one. Awards will be announced at the SEA-PAC Banquet.

New to transmitter hunting? Attend the morning seminar on transmitter hunts to find out how!

Flea Market Table Renters:

SEA-PAC Flea Market is a service to those selling or trading used ham gear. Table renters displaying new equipment may be asked to remove it if a Commercial Exhibitor (Main Floor) objects.

NO power is available for flea market tables.

"A HANGOUT FOR BORED SPOUSES"

Hospitality Suite

Our Saviour's Lutheran Church - West Parish Hall
Free to Convention Goers
Crafts, Refreshments, Puzzles

Put Your Feet Up

Friday 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM - Saturday 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Children must be supervised by parent or guardian at all times
No Pets



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Ask for SEA-PAC Ham Operators Rate
Before May 17, 2005

Subject to availability at time of reservation

Seaside Community Information

The City of Seaside does not allow overnight RV parking on streets and parking lots. Violators are ticketed. If all parks in Seaside are full, permits to park in designated lots may be obtained.

Trailer Parks, Campgrounds and Alternative Housing are available. A list of facilities is available from Seaside Lodging Information: 888.306.2326 or at the SEA-PAC web site: www.seapac.org.

VE Testing

Tests are administered at Our Saviour's Lutheran Church - East Parish Hall at 9:00 AM, Saturday, June 18, 2005. Registration must be received by May 14, 2005.

Pre-registration only. No walk-ins!

Confirmation will be sent to registered participants. Cancellation refunds only if received prior to June 10th. Send NCVEC Form 605 (available at www.arrl.org/arrlvec/ncvec605-3.pdf) with a VE Test Application (above), a check or money order for \$14.00 made payable to **ARRL/VEC** to:

Carl Clawson, WS7L
20767 NW Old Pass Rd., Hillsboro OR 97124
503.629.5796, or email ws7l@arrl.net

Bring the original of your license **AND** a photocopy, one piece of photo identification, any CSCE's that apply **AND** a photocopy of each CSCE.

Additional information? Call Carl Clawson evenings.

**PURCHASE YOUR
SEA-PAC COLLECTORS PIN
AT THE REGISTRATION DESK**

Application For VE Test

Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip _____

Call/Current License Class _____

Telephone _____

Email _____

Please check the examination element(s) you wish to take:

- ☐ Element 1 (5 wpm Morse)
☐ Element 2 (Technician Written)
☐ Element 3 (General Written)
☐ Element 4 (Extra Written)

PLEASE ALLOW 4 WEEKS FOR RECEIPT OF TICKETS

NOTE: Flea Market participants must register for the convention

REGISTRATION

Make checks payable to "SEA-PAC"

No. _____
Office Use Only

Mail To: SEA-PAC, Box 25466, Portland OR 97298-0466

____ Friday Antenna Workshop at \$12.00 \$ _____
Limit: 100 participants - \$15.00 at door space available

____ Registrations at \$8.00 each (\$10.00 at the door) \$ _____

____ Children (12 and under) FREE..... \$ _____

____ Flea Market Tables (No Dealer Sales) \$ _____
(\$15 per table per day or \$25 per table for 2 days)
(NO power available)

____ Saturday YLRL Lunch at \$12.00 (50 person limit) \$ _____

____ Saturday QCWA Lunch at \$12.00 (50 person limit)..... \$ _____

____ Saturday Banquet Salmon Dinner at \$22.00..... \$ _____

____ Saturday Banquet Boneless BBQ Pork at \$22.00 \$ _____

Limit: 300 participants for Banquet **Total..... \$ _____**

Refunds of \$5.00 or more only. NO refund after June 1, 2005.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email Address _____

Call Sign _____ Phone _____

NICKNAME & CALL SIGN FOR REGISTRATION BADGE
(Please Print - indicate children:C)

EARLY BIRD Registration postmarked by May 14, 2005



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We hope everyone will enjoy themselves to the fullest. We look forward to seeing you in Seaside.

The Oregon Tualatin Valley Amateur Radio Club wishes to thank Clark County ARC, Sunset Empire ARC, RAGS and Hoodview ARC for their assistance and contributions to the convention.

Please let us hear your suggestions.

Convention sponsors reserve the right to alter the convention schedule and programs.

No purchase necessary for awards; limit one entry per person (unless pre-registered by May 14, 2005).

All registrants, including convention sponsors, are eligible for awards. Good luck to all.

Talk-in: 146.660-
www.seapac.org

Seaside Convention Center

is a

No Smoking Facility.

ORS 433.839 and 433.875

No Pets Allowed in the Convention Center.